## STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

## RS20750

Sometimes, a summons and complaint is unable to be personally served. When this happens, that service can be done by publication. To do service by publication the Court must authorize it with an order. Idaho Code 5-508 sets out the process to get that order. Some judges grant that order after it receives an appropriate affidavit. Others technically read Idaho Code 5-508 to require a verified complaint. This bill allows the Court to enter an order after it considers either a supporting affidavit or verified complaint.

## FISCAL NOTE

None



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